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Respectfully submitted,



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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of

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TATSURO HAMADA

Serial No. 09/923,983

Filed August 7, 2001

For STABILIZING HIGH-VINYL  
POLYBUTADIENE

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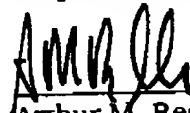
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